DRIVER EDUCATION

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Position Statement: Driver Education

Driver education in Idaho Public schools should be consistent with the Idaho Standards and Benchmarks for Public School Driver Education and Training which can be located on the Internet at www.sde.idaho.gov/drivereducation

Driver Education in Idaho public school provides the basic foundation that will prepare students to begin the lifelong process of reduced risk driving. The experience should assist students to develop and use good driving habits; achieve desirable knowledge, understanding, attitudes, and practices related to reduced risk driving, through a combination of classroom and in-car instruction and observation that includes modeling, knowledge assessment, skill assessment, guided observation, and parental involvement.

A dynamic driver education program uses many resources and current technologies, including online materials and coursework that meet the needs of a diverse population of learners.